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	Title	TEMPERATURE DETECTING UNIT AND FIXING APPARATUS

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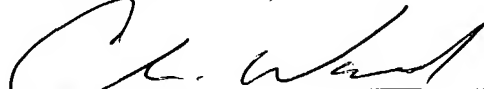| FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
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